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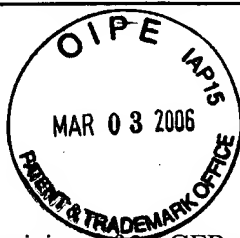
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Anthony M. Eaton et al.
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Examiner: Vivian Chang
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PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed October 26, 2005, said period of response being extended from January 26, 2006 to February 26, 2006, Sunday, thereby extending until Monday, February 27, 2006.

Authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted

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